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HOUSE BILL 635

**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999**

INTRODUCED BY

Judy Vanderstar Russell

AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT; AMENDING THE PUBLIC  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ACT TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE FOR ADOPTION  
OF MUNICIPAL GENERAL MEMBER COVERAGE PLAN 4.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 10-11-55.7 NMSA 1978 (being Laws  
1998, Chapter 106, Section 1) is amended to read:

"10-11-55.7. MUNICIPAL GENERAL MEMBER COVERAGE PLAN 4--  
APPLICABILITY. --Municipal general member coverage plan 4 is  
applicable to a designated group of municipal general members  
the first day of the calendar month following an affirmative  
vote by the majority of the municipal general members in a  
designated group. A designated group may be all members  
employed by the affiliated public employer, an organizational  
group whose compensation is established by negotiated contract

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1 or all members employed by the affiliated public employer,  
2 whose compensation is not established by negotiated contract.  
3 The election shall be conducted by the retirement board in  
4 accordance with the procedures adopted by the retirement  
5 board. The procedures shall afford all municipal general  
6 members who are part of the designated group an opportunity to  
7 vote. A new election for coverage by municipal general member  
8 coverage plan 4 shall not be held prior to the expiration of  
9 six months following the date of an election that failed to  
10 adopt municipal general member coverage plan 4. An election  
11 adopting municipal general member coverage plan 4 is  
12 irrevocable for the purpose of subsequently adopting a  
13 coverage plan that would decrease employer or employee  
14 contributions with respect to all current and future municipal  
15 general employees of the affiliated public employer who are  
16 part of the designated group. All elections for the purpose  
17 of adopting municipal general member coverage plan 4 shall  
18 take place prior to July 1, [1999] 2000. Any election  
19 occurring after June 30, [1999] 2000 shall be void. "

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6 February 16, 1999  
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15 has had it under consideration and reports same with  
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17 Respectfully submitted,  
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Yes: 6

Excused: Abeyta

Absent: None

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Excused: Boitano, Garcia, Stockard, Smith

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Absent: None

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